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With the stars of a Union unbroken and true
Arise and defend it' seasons of the brave
Whose blood bought it the banner your valor must save

TUESDAY MORNING DEC 24, 1861

THE NEWS.

The steamer Brother Jonathan arrived in this port, at 8 o'clock last night. She brings

Arrival of the Brother Jonathan.

ALL RIGHT!

The steamer *Brother Jonathan* arrived at this port at 8 o clock last evening.

MERCHANDISE—Steamship *Brother Jonathan* A. M. Burns, Commander left San Francisco December 20th at 4 P. M., on 21st at 7 A. M. passed steamship *Charter Oak* bound south; arrived at the Bar on the 23d at 4 A. M. crossed the bar at 7 A. M. and arrived at Portland at 8 A. M. on 23d.

PASSENGERS—J. Brown & Bro. J. Weiler and lady, J. T. Kingsbury, Jos. Durn, Jno. Sieger, D. Disher, J. T. White and lady, Major Hopkins and family, Peter Rigg, Mr. Shannon and lady, Lieut. I. Scott, J. S. S. Powell, E. L. Maples, P. Scott, S. De La Rosa, W. B. Culver, W. Rust, P. Williams, T. H. Bigler, H. Jullien, J. Colburn, J. Fitzgerald, S. Morris, J. Quinn, M. Shaffner, H. Rector, C. S. Drew, M. Smith, C. W. Wyse, C. North, W. Bradley and lady, D. H. Olmsted and lady, Dr. Carpenter, P. S. Mosbey, A. A. Banning, R. Cochran, J. S. Dunlap, W. Barnbaum and friend, H. W. Corbett, E. Corbett, W. S. M. Davis, G. W. Thayer, Whitcomb, Dorsey, Robbins, and 100 others.

The News

SYRACUSE, Mo., Dec. 7.—Gen. Pope has command of the Federal troops on the Missouri and Osage rivers. Price is south of the Osage, losing many men by desertion.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Dec. 4.—The *Avalanche* says the Federal forces between Louisville and Bowling Green amount to 50,000, but Buckner and Johnson are ready for them.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—A dispatch from Ken

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The rebels are said to be approaching our lines on the Potomac in force.

Government has decided to fill up the regiments in the field to 1,046.

Our Government has replied to the invitation of England, France and Spain, declining to take any part in the Mexican Expedition.

The regulars surrendered by Major Lynde, in New Mexico, and afterwards exchanged, are to be sent to guard our northern frontier.

Charles Anderson, brother of Gen. Robert Anderson, has arrived at New York with his family, they having escaped from the rebels at San Antonio, Texas, then traveled into Mexico.

The Mexican Government will resist all expeditions, as their hatred toward Spain is intense.

It is understood that the Legislature of Kentucky will abolish slavery, reimbursing loyal masters.

In the Senate to-day Fessenden and Sumner presented petitions asking for the emancipation of slaves under the war power.

Nesmith introduced a bill to provide for the protection of emigrants to California and Oregon. Referred to the Committee on Territories.

QUINCY, Dec. 16—Debate in the House on suspension of writ of habeas corpus. Petitions against suspension tabled—108 to 36.

Etheridge, Clerk of the House, has received letters from Tennessee stating that the rebel leaders had begun impressing Union men, who were fleeing into Kentucky for protection. Parson Brownlow's army has been increased by Unionists from North Carolina and Alabama, and he is giving the rebels much trouble.

St. Louis, Dec. 10.—Major Marshall on Saturday captured 30 rebels at Glasgow.

The Union men in Kentucky have nominated Garrett Davis for U. S. Senator.

Gen. Price is on the Osage river with 8 or 10,000 men.

Federal force in St. Louis 20,000.

Gen. Fremont's body guard has been ordered to report at Washington.

Gordon, the leader of a rebel guerilla band in Missouri has been killed and his men captured.

Gen. Buell with 70,000 federal troops was at Bowling Green, Ky., near Johnston's force of 50,000 men.

In Liverpool great indignation was manifested about the Mason and Slidell affair.—Public meetings had been held.

Gen. Halleck has ordered a forced contribution to the amount of $10,000 from the rebels residing in St. Louis, for the benefit of Union people who are refugees from Southwest Missouri.

QUINCY, Dec. 12.—The President has declined to send to Congress communications with England, France and Spain, in regard to Mexico.

Private Johnson, of the Lincoln cavalry, is to be shot at Washington to-morrow, for desertion.

News from Fort Pickens confirm the statement that Fort McRae was silenced, and also the water batteries in reach of the guns of the steamer Richmond. Warrington was burnt and the Navy Yard destroyed. Col. Brown says he can take Fort Barrancas as soon as reinforcements can reach him. The firing continued two days. Two men killed by enemy's fire by explosion of a cannon.

St. Helena, near Beaufort, is occupied by Federal troops. Our forces intend seizing all approaches to Savannah and Charleston soon.

Gov. Andrew, of Massachusetts, protests against the Massachusetts soldiers catching slaves, and Secretary Cameron says it should be stopped.

Colonel Mulligan has been reinstated in the command of his regiment.

QUINCY, Dec. 14.—Charleston Courier says there are no rebels at Beaufort. All cotton and corn destroyed. Charleston is alarmed at near approach of Federal fleet. Citizens of Savannah and Charleston moving into the interior of the State.

There are a number of letters of marque in New York, issued by the Mexican Government, to prey upon the commerce of England, France and Spain, and vessels are fitting out under a similar decision to that allowing the Nashville to be fitted out at Southampton. The vessels will sail under the Mexican flag as war vessels, and are entitled to bring prizes into neutral ports.

A dispatch to the Cincinnati *Commercial* from Cheat Mountain, December 8th, says: Yesterday one of our hardest and best fought battles during the war, took place at Allegheny Camp, Pocahontas, Va. General Milroy commanded the Union forces and General Johnson, of Georgia, the rebels. The Union loss was 30 and the rebel loss 200 killed, with many wounded and 30 prisoners. General Johnson was wounded. Our force numbered 750, the enemy 2,500. The rebels set fire to their camp and retreated to Staunton.

Various reliable reports say that on the night of December 10th, a fire broke out in Charleston, South Carolina. Half the town is in ashes. It is supposed to have been caused by slaves, who have risen.

QUINCY, Dec. 2.—In Congress, yesterday, resolutions were passed in honor of Lyon.

Lansing's resolution to return fugitive slaves came up. Stevens and Lovejoy made speeches against it.

Wilson offered resolutions in the Senate to increase cadets at West Point.

Nesmith of the Senate announced the death of Senator Baker. He paid a brief tribute to his worth and History, and offered the usual resolutions of respect to his memory.

McDougall followed, referring to the decease of two distinguished Senators, Douglas and Baker.

Latham closed with a most beautiful, eloquent and truthful eulogy on the deceased, when the Senate adjourned.

St. Louis, Dec. 14.—A great fire has occured in Charleston, South Carolina, which has laid one half of that city in ruins.

The Catholic Cathedral of that city is destroyed.

The fire and ruin are attributed to incendiarism on the part of the Slaves, who are said to be in a state of insurrection.

A battle took place at Pocahontas, near Cheat Mountain, Va., on the 12th, between seven hundred Federal troops under the command of Colonel Milroy, and 2,000 Rebels under General Johnson [doubtless the Johnston who commanded a Division in the Potomac.—EDS. CAL.] The battle resulted in the killing of two hundred Rebels and thirty Federalists.

The victory of the latter is complete.

St. Louis, Dec. 15th.—John Hogan, a secessionist, and late Post master of this city, has been arrested on the charge of embezzlement while in office.

We have nothing further in relation to the battle in Western Virginia.

The privateer Sumter, carrying the American flag, has captured and burnt the brig Joseph Park.

St. Louis, Dec. 16.—The English papers are exceedingly belligerent in their remarks in reference to the arrest of Mason and Slidell. They say the sentiment of the British Cabinet, in relation to the matter, is denunciatory of the act of arrest.

In relation to the same matter, and the attitude of the English press thereon, the people and Cabinet at Washington are defiant to the last degree.

The President favors a conciliatory course with England.

The intelligence regarding the destructive fire at Charleston, S. C., is confirmed. The conflagration is the largest ever known on the American continent. The offices of the Charleston Courier and Mercury were both destroyed.

QUINCY, Ill., Dec. 17—Dispatches were made up as usual; operators could not send them.

QUINCY, Dec. 16. — The steamer Illinois, which arrived at Old Point on Saturday night, 14th December, says that it passed within six miles of Charleston on Thursday night. A tremendous conflagration was going on, and Charleston was evidently burning up.

The Norfolk *Day Book* of the 13th, gives an account of a negro insurrection in South Carolina, at Charleston. The plot of the negroes was discovered and checked.

Washington dispatches say that notwithstanding the belligerent attitude of England, the Cabinet and Congress are not frightened.

The [expected] demand for the release of Mason and Slidell causes great excitement, but the sentiment of defiance is universal.

Congress will adjourn on Thursday next, the 19th, for two weeks, to enable the members to spend the holidays at home.

In the Lower House of Congress, yesterday, some hard words passed between Foulke of Illinois, and Conway of Kansas. It is feared that something serious will grow out of it.

Vallandigham offered resolutions to the effect that the action of Com. Wilkes be sustained, notwithstanding the belligerent attitude, but they were laid over.

The bill to raise 20,000 more troops for Kentucky was opposed by Lovejoy and Stevens, but was afterwards passed.

In the U. S. Senate, Hall offered a resolution to the effect that the Committee on Military Affairs inquire into the expediency of providing a uniform plan for dealing with the slaves of rebels, which was agreed to.

Lane, of Indiana, offered a resolution that the Committee on Judiciary be requested to prepare a law to prevent aliens of treason from bringing suits for commercial debts in the United States Courts. Agreed to.

Wilkinson offered a resolution to expel Jesse D. Bright. Referred.

Dispatches from St. Joseph, Mo., state that a battle was expected soon between the rebel forces at Lexington, Mo., and the troops under Gen. Prentiss. It was Prentiss' intention to cross the river on Saturday (14th) at a point above Lexington, and attack the rebels. The rebels are 2,500 strong; the Federals have 3,000.

The excitement runs high over the English news. The markets are depressed in consequence.

The bark Agnes, arrived at Baltimore, reports a fight between the pirate Sumter and the United States gunboat Iroquois, off Martinique.

QUINCY, December 17.—The cabinet have considered the matter (of the Mason and Slidell arrest) and think that new paper blockade is not a true indication of the intention of the British Government; but the impression is that England will make a demand for the release of Mason and Slidell.

QUINCY, December 16—p. m.—The N. Y. *Herald's* Washington dispatch says that the President has no official information from England relative to the Mason and Slidell affair; but thought that diplomatic correspondence would settle the matter without war.

The Union sentiment in Eastern Virginia is said to be rapidly increasing.

Senator Polk of Missouri has gone over to the rebels; he is said to be now in Memphis.

Ben. McCullough is in Richmond.

The steamer *Connecticut*, arrived at Old Point, reports that Fort Pulaski has been evacuated by the rebels, and is now occupied by Federal troops.

The Senate Military Committee will report to-morrow against abolishing distinctions between Regulars and Volunteers.

Norfolk and Richmond papers of the 14th give full particulars of the great fire in Charleston. 57 buildings were destroyed, including the Roman Catholic church, St. Peter's Episcopal church, Cumberland-street church, the Methodist and Circular churches.] The loss will be from $3,000,000 to $7,000,000.

The steamer *Champion* [from Aspinwall with the California passengers] arrived at New York on the 15th. She reports being chased by a pirate on the 14th.

The *Lancaster*, *Wyandotte* and *Cyane* were at Panama on December 6th.

QUINCY, Dec. 18—A. M.—In the U. S. Senate, Yesterday, Latham offered a resolution that the Secretary of War be requested to inform the Senate by what law and reason passports are required from foreigners in New York and San Francisco. Agreed to.

Sherman offered a resolution that the Secretary of War shall send to the Senate without delay official correspondence between Gen. Scott and Gen. Patterson. Agreed to.

In the House, Elliott's resolution, proposing emancipation of slaves of rebels, caused a warm debate.

Harding in Kentucky made a strong speech in opposition.

Dispatches from Tipton, Md., say that our troops had received orders yesterday to hold themselves ready at a moment's notice. Gen. Pope, at the head of his forces, was already marching towards Warrensburg for the purpose of entangling Price, who is trying to unite with Rains and Steinart Lexington. A battle is expected soon.

The gunboat *Connecticut*, has arrived at Fortress Monroe from Port Royal. The reported occupation of Fort Pulaski by the Federal forces, is not true; much is expected that it will fall into our hands soon. Our troops now occupying Tybee Island, will operate on Fort Pulaski.

ST. LOUIS, Dec 17th—10 p. m.—We have information that Fort Pulaski is in possession of the Federal troops.—[Fort Pulaski commands the entrance to Savannah, Georgia.]

It is reported through rebel channels that a battle has been fought at New Orleans between the Federal and Rebel forces; but we have no particulars in regard to it.

The loss at the great fire in Charleston are estimated to amount to $7,000,000.

Lord Lyons, British Minister at Washington, has received no dispatches from his Government in relation to the Slidell and Mason affair.

There is a great financial excitement in New York, which it is thought, will probably result in the suspension of some of the banks.

QUINCY, Dec. 18.—P. M.—Information has been received at Cairo that New Orleans had been attacked by the Federal forces under the command of Gen. Phelps, from Ship Island. [Ship Island is in Mississippi Sound, distant some 70 or 80 miles from New Orleans.]

Reinforcements have been send down from Columbus for the relief of New Orleans.

Secretary Cameron has submitted to Congress a report in favor of appropriating $4,740,000 for putting the coast defences in order from the Lakes around to San Francisco.

QUINCY, Dec. 18—P. M.—The steamer *Jura* arrived at Portland yesterday from Liverpool, [bringing dates to Saturday, 7th December.]

Things look warlike in England. A large number of troops were under orders to leave for Canada. The American shipping interest was disastrously affected.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19, 1861.—Commercial letters from England by the last European steamers express the opinion that the English Government will probably make an apology for the recent act of Commodore Wilkes in arresting Mason and Slidell.—[According to this, the best informed classes in England do not anticipate hostilities between Great Britain and the United States on account of the recent arrest—ED. HERALD.

The Federal troops are moving in immense force, towards the Tennessee river, from Kentucky.

As regards the battle of New Orleans, [before reported] circumstantial evidence received here seems to substantiate the report that New Orleans has been captured by the Federal troops. We have not full particulars, or facts fully confirmatory, but the belief here is that New Orleans is in the hands of the Federals.

A battle is pending, at any moment, in Missouri, between the Federal troops and rebel forces.

The Confederate horde, under Price, is certainly caught in a trap.

Capt. James Miller is now Captain of the *Unio*, which is in the Yamhill trade—having bought out the stock and interest of Capt. Apperson. Both these men are decidedly popular, and have the best wishes of all their acquaintance.

"We were told yesterday," says the long haired youth of the *Advertiser*, "that one of the inducements held out to volunteers at Salem, is that they will be stationed in the mining regions, where they can try their luck in mining." The long-haired youth thinks this is very naughty, and it is not at all improbable he will do something about it.

NEW TO-DAY.

Lost!

LAST evening, a heavy **Silver Watch** with a plain Hunter's Case. Any person finding same will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at the store of

HARKER BROS.

GRAND!

A Splendid Cutter Sleigh

WILL BE RAFFLED FOR THIS EVENING, at MUSSER'S CANDY AND SUGAR STORE.

dec. 21st, 1861.

W. M. BIRNBAUM

HAS JUST RETURNED FROM SAN FRANCISCO with a large stock of

Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Jewelry, Cutlery, Silver and Plated Ware, Fancy Goods, and Musical Instruments,

which he will offer

For Sale at Auction!

☞ For further particulars see to-morrow's paper.

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AT

RANDALL'S MUSIC STORE,

First street, Portland,

Where may be found a full supply
Of Toys, to suit all ranks and ages;
Selected with a critic eye,
To amuse the young as well as sages.
For reasoners here is a Juggler's Cup
That fullest seems when nothing's in it;
And Nine-Pins set, like systems, up
To be knocked down the following minute.
We've Kaleidoscopes, of fancy make,
Like sinners old, or politicians,
That turn about with every shake,
In hopes to better their condition.
Tee-totums we've for patriots got,
Who court the mob with antics humble;
Like theirs the patriot's dizzy lot:
A glorious spin and then a tumble.

Come buy your Christmas Toys; come buy

Of E. G. RANDALL,

First street, Portland.

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WILLAMETTE THEATRE.

MANAGER AND LESSEE.....JOHN P. DESMOND

Return of the Popular Male and Female Minstrels.

THE MANAGER takes great pleasure in informing the citizens of Portland and vicinity that he will open the Theatre on

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 4, 1861,

For the Winter Season, with a Star Troupe of Male & Female Minstrels, comprising the following talented Artists:

Miss JOEY LA FORREST,
Miss CLARA DEAN

MAX TRWIN,

JOHNNY COLLINS.....L. MOULTON
L. SEAMAN.....J. A. STONE
J. E. SEDLAK.....J. P. DESMOND
and others.

Change of Programme every Evening

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Dress Circle and Parquette.....75
Pit.....50
Private Boxes.....2.00

☞ Box Office open from ten till four o'clock, where seats can be secured.

☞ Doors open at a quarter to seven. The performance will commence at half past seven precisely.

☞ Nothing contained in the entertainment to offend the most fastidious.

HO! FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

D. F. HARRINGTON,

HAS JUST RECEIVED per steamer Panama, Oct. 25th, a large and full assortment of

Staple and Fancy Groceries,

suitable for the Holidays, which he offers at the **Lowest Cash Prices,** consisting of

Raisins, Currants, Citron,
Spices of all kinds,
Assorted Herbs,
Yellow Cornmeal,
Buckwheat Flour,
Oatmeal, in kegs.

A choice article of BLACK and GREEN TEAS; Manilla, Costa Rica and Rio COFFEES. And other articles too numerous to mention.

☞ All Goods purchased at my store will be delivered FREE OF CHARGE.

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NEW CIDER.—A superior article of Cider on draught at

D. F. HARRINGTON'S.

The Question Settled.

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by the following Bankers and Assayers in San Francisco,

Sattlher & Church,

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I am now prepared to make returns within FIVE HOURS after receipt of Gold Dust, either in Bars or Coin, and will make

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☞ Charges same as in San Francisco.

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EASTERN HUBS—11x14, 12x14, 12x15;

SPOKES—1½ to 2¼;

HICKORY AXLES—3½x4½, 4x5, 4½x5½, 5x5, 6x7;

Also, a SPLENDID LOT of

Eastern Oak and Hickory Plank

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$150 REWARD!

SOME VAGABOND OR VAGABONDS on last Thursday morning (Thanksgiving) cut and stole a large portion of ROPE attached to our BOOM, in which our logs are secured. The above reward will be paid for the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who did the same, or of any person that may hereafter be guilty of CUTTING or STEALING THE ROPE by which our Boom may be secured.

W. P. ABRAMS & CO.

Portland, Dec. 2, 1861.

Dissolution Notice.

PORTLAND, Dec. 18, 1861.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of A. Mc. Love & Co. is this day dissolved—the undersigned having purchased their interests to W. B. Mead. All business pertaining unto said will hereafter be settled by him.

J. J. MOULTHROP,
LUKE VIGERS.

PORTLAND, Dec. 18, 1861.

W. B. MEAD and A. MERCHANT have this day entered into a partnership for the manufactory of Soap and Candles. The name and style of the said firm shall be W. B. Mead & Co.

W. B. MEAD & CO.

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Notice to Lot Holders.

AS the Executor of my own right, of that portion of the Donation Land Claim which lies between Salmon street on the north and Mill street on the south, and between Second street on the east and Eighth street on the west, I hereby notify all persons claiming titles to lots within said limits to present their papers at my law office, in Stark's Building, so that if they are found sufficient I may make Warrantee Deeds to the present holders. All claims must be presented by the 25th of January next.

Portland, Dec. 18, 1861. W. W. CHAPMAN, Executor.

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JUSTICE'S COURT.—John Strud[illegible] was arraigned before Justice Barnes [illegible] charged with having made an affidavit [illegible] to the names of M Carrell and Crowley [illegible] them with for not entering his premises on Saturday night last and obstructing several bottles of liquor [illegible] His Honor after hearing the evidence, bound the *barkeeper* over to make their appearance at the next term of Circuit Court and answer to the charge

CHRISTMAS BALL.—To inaugurate the coming Christmas, a grand ball will come off this evening at the Union Armory Hall, First street. Great preparations have been made, and no doubt it will be a splendid one. The Turners also give one at their hall to-morrow night. That, too, will be a fine affair.

SPORT.—Snow balling was one of the sports indulged in by the juveniles and boys in the city yesterday. Local, while on his mission after an item, found these missiles at one time thick and thundering about his head, not being prepared to return the fire he retreated "in good order," protected in the rear by his umbrella.

The steamer Multnomah is again upon the route. Capt. Hoyt is in his old position of Cashier—a very important fact to all travelers between Portland and Astoria.

The Willamette river at the Falls, at the last rise, was 55 feet above its lowest stage, says the *Argus*.

From the Nez Perces Mines.

Mr. A. Wright, of Aurora, arrived here from the Nez Perces mines two or three days ago. The history of his experience in the mines amounts to this: he went up last summer to the Nez Perces mines. Before he reached there persons of his acquaintance, from this valley, returning, pronounced the mines a great humbug. Mr. Wright had gone with the determination of seeing the mines himself, and went ahead. He prospected diligently—sometimes he was encouraged and sometimes disheartened—at length he discovered a good thing. He struck a good prospect. His company went to work early into the season and found they could make for the hand from $20 to $25 a day—that worked on. The news of the discovery in Salmon river valley came to them—Mr. Wright's brother, one of the company left for the Salmon river mines—struck rich diggings there—and at the last accounts was doing considerably well there. Mr. Wright and the remainder of the company continued working in the Nez Perces mines until the rains, melted by heavy rains, filled the mines with a flood that compelled them to desist from working. Mr. Wright then returned to his home to spend the winter,—designing to return to his claim early in the spring. He thinks he has a sure thing in his claim, and does not like to give it up even for the superior prospects on Salmon river. He will make up in industry, economy and frugality the superior yield of the Salmon river mines. We are of the opinion that Mr. Wright is a sensible man.

Mr. ROYCE HENRY, who worked in Cariboo last summer, says he shall go the coming spring to the Salmon river mines. He is an experienced and successful miner.

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Front street, corner of Alder,
J. ROTHWELL Proprietor.
This Saloon is newly built and fitted up expressly for the business, with new and tasteful apartments. The choicest wines and liquors will always be found stocked with the choicest.
Wines, Liquors and Cigars
to be found in this city and dispensed in a polite style.
Having long been a resident of Portland and well known, the proprietor feels his standing with the public, and only asks the patronage of the public to call at the house. Call around one and all.
Portland, Dec. 18th 1861

NOW FOR SALMON RIVER!
To be Raffled for
AT THE
CENTRAL SALOON,
Front street, corner of Alder,
On the Evening of December 24th,
FOUR GOOD HORSES
TWO WATCHES and
TWO SADDLES.
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Teas! Teas!
LET THE BEST—Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial and Japan Teas just received and for sale by
J. WILSON
MANTILLAS!
ALL SIZES for Children and Misses in Brown and Grey Cloth.
Ladies' Cloth, Square & Long Shawls,
Chenille Scarfs, Zephyr Wool
Lace Cottons, Patterns, &c.
Embroidered Setts Collars and Sleeves.
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LARGE ASSORTMENT Boys and Mens Clothing, and Furnishing Goods, for sale by
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For the Medical and Surgical Institute [illegible] DARIUS SWETT, Dr. [illegible] from the highest sources in this country as a proof of which the patronage of medical science and the society with [illegible] Dr. Swett in the practice of Medicine and Surgery, light among the phila[illegible] Dr. Langley has had [illegible] Dr. Langley has become an intimate friend with a [illegible] University of Pennsylvania, and late Chief Surgeon of the Hun[illegible] Dr. Langley has been extended to us. Dr. [illegible] attention to the cure of [illegible] the diseases in which he has become so great [illegible] that he is now regarded as the LEADER in this branch of the profession throughout the United States and [illegible] Dr. Langley are published as matter of interest [illegible] in the most exclusive journals. The Dr.'s offices are at his Medical and Surgical Institute, on the [illegible] Pacific Mail Steamship Company's San Francisco [illegible] We ask particular attention of our readers to the remarkable cures [illegible] in another column of this paper. Persons [illegible] wishing to lose time in correspondence, inclose $10 in such letters and they will get immediate attention to their cases. Address, DARIUS SWETT, Dr. San Francisco, Cal.
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ALSO
CAMPHENE, KEROSENE, COAL OIL,
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Coal Oil Lamps.
WE HAVE NOW IN STORE LARGE INVOICES OF Goods in our line, lately received from New York, to which we would direct the attention of buyers throughout the State.
Our extra facilities for purchasing enable us to supply the
Best of Goods at VERY LOW RATES.
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Oct 15, 1861 Front street, Portland, Oregon

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He hopes by strict attention to cleanliness and the wishes of his patrons to secure a continuance of their favors.
Meals served at all hours.
THOMAS SMITH, Proprietor.
Nov 19, 1861 dtm

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Choice Canvass Back Ducks,
FOR SALE AT
Clark's Variety Market,
First street.
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I AM now receiving and opening the largest Assortment of
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ever before offered for sale in Portland.
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—IS—
Best Article in Market,
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WE WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE in CASH for Hogs.
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Corner of First and Front streets
Next door to Ladd & Tilton's Bank.

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1000 BUSHELS POTATOES,
for which the Highest Cash Price will be paid by
A. D. SHELBY.
£400 Sterling Merino and fine wool
HARKER BROTHERS
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ROBBINS, CHITTENDEN & CO.

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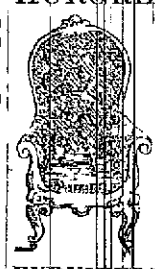
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WE ARE NOW RECEIVING LARGE ADDITIONS TO our stock, consisting of—
Elegant Styles of
PARLOR & BEDROOM SETS,
DINING ROOM AND
Common Household Furniture.
in Great Variety.
GILT, ROSEWOOD, and MAHOGANY-FRAMED
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GILT MOULDINGS, from 9/8 to 42/5 inches.
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PLUSH, HAIR CLOTH, GIMP
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OAT STRAW, for beds for sale.
Spanish Cedar,
Black Walnut and
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Veneers, Glue,
Iron Bedfastenings.
GOODS OF ALL KINDS ON HAND, packed in cases for shipping.
PULU IN BALES, from 2½ to 100 lbs.
Every description of
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER.
Upholstery Done
in the most thorough manner.
SPRING BEDS
of the most improved kind always on hand.
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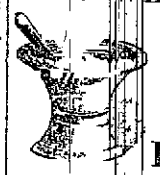
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OF
DRUGS,
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TO HIS LARGE AND
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Between Taylor and Yamhill streets,
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The DRUG TRADE
in its most extensive style, having just received a large
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and he keeps a
Resident Agent in New York,
from whom he receives
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to the Trade.
Thankful for the liberal patronage of the past five years, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same from the public, who may rest assured that no effort will be spared to
NOTHING SHALL BE WANTING
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General Satisfaction
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Prices and Quality of Goods.
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Portland Dec 10, 1861 dtf
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50 HF BBLS. ISLAND SUGAR for sale by ROBBINS CHITTENDEN & CO

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Cure Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Influenza, and Irritation of the Throat.
Before the Public for Over Twenty Years, and Every Year Commands Them More Favorably to Those Who Have Used Them.
PUBLIC SPEAKERS, and SINGERS,
Will find the Troches an Invaluable Relief when taken before or after Using.
TROCHES BROWN'S
N. P. WILLIS
Says: I find them extremely serviceable to Public Speakers.
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REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER,
Says: I find them useful in relieving me from Hoarseness.
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Portland, Dec 4, 1861 tf

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THE Proprietors most respectfully announce to the citizens of Portland, and the people generally, that they will constantly keep at their market the very best and choicest quality of

Beef, Pork, Mutton and Veal,

and every variety of

VEGETABLES.

Cash paid for Butter Lard Eggs, Chickens, Turkeys, &c

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INFORM THE PUBLIC that they are now prepared to accommodate all the old customers of Mr. Ingles and they hope many new ones who may see fit to favor them with their work, at short notice.

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Plows made to order, and always an assortment on hand, and they will give a written guarantee that they shall perform well, and in failure of which they will pay the purchase money back.

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Yamhill street, corner of Second.

Portland, Feb 4, 1861.

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KEEP THE MONEY IN THE STATE.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE CONTINUALLY MANUFACTURING and have constantly on hand a superior article of

WHISKEY,

MANUFACTURED ENTIRELY FROM WHEAT, which they can warrant not to be surpassed by any article imported to the State.

If the People of Oregon MUST AND WILL HAVE WHISKEY, let them buy

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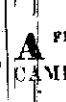

IS REMOVED TO THE NEW AND handsome building near the old stand, where his old customers will find the choicest Meats of all kinds such as FINE BEEF, PORK, MUTTON VEAL, SALT MEATS, &c

☞ *GIVE HIM A CALL*

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Go and see them, and

GET A PICTURE

Ship Chandlery for Sale.

PURCHASE BLOCKS &c.,
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Between Second and Third sts., on Taylor
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300 BOXES extra quality SAL PRATUS In store and for sale by HARKER BROTHERS.

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250 BOXES VIRGINIA TOBACCO Just received per Bark *Fishburn* and for sale by HARKER BROTHERS

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100 CHESTS JAPAN AND CHINA GREEN TEA Just received per Bark Samuel Merritt and for sale by HARKER BROTHERS

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133 BOXES PALE SOAP Just received per Bark Samuel Merritt, and for sale by HARKER BROTHERS

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All Indorsed Orders

WILL BE PAID ON PRESENTATION AT MY Office W. P. ISLAND Treasurer of Multnomah County

Portland, July 19th, 1861

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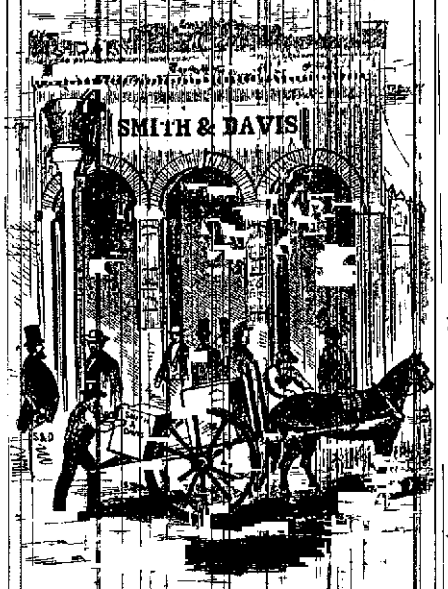

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In accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes," approved October 24th, 1861, I hereby give notice that I will be at my office in the City of Portland, County of Multnomah, for the purpose of receiving taxes for the year A. D. 1861, from the 1st day of November to the 20th day of December next, inclusive, at which time all taxes must be paid.

W. P. ISLAND County Treasurer.

Portland, Sept 26th 1861. 1t

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Brown Drills and Sheetings

30-INCH SHIRTINGS,

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IN GREAT VARIETY

DRESS AND FANCY DRY GOODS

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